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In re Patent Application of)
Kouji Yamashita et al.) Group Art Unit: 3744
Application No.: 10/529,870) Examiner: Mohammad M. Ali
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For: AIR CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT,)
FAN EQUIPMENT, METHOD OF)
REDUCING NOISE OF EQUIPMENT,)
PRESSURE PULSATION REDUCER)
FOR REFRIGERATION CYCLE)
EQUIPMENT, PRESSURE PULSATION))
REDUCER FOR PUMP EQUIPMENT)
AND METHOD)

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants hereby submit the Communication Pursuant to Article 94(3) EPC dated April 21, 2009, issued by the European Patent Office in the corresponding European application, in conformance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98. The references cited in the Communication were previously disclosed to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 12, 2006.

It is requested that the Communication be considered in connection with the examination of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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